Family, Career and Community Leaders of America, Inc. Advisor Recognition Program

ADVISOR MENTOR

Without capable adult leaders, students could not take advantage of the many opportunities offered through Family, Career and Community Leaders of America. Being a good advisor takes special skills and a tremendous commitment of time and energy. Exceptional advisors motivate their chapters to take advantage of opportunities beyond the local level, use a wide variety of resources available to them and encourage student involvement. These advisors also share their expertise by offering advisor workshops to work one-on-one with new advisors.

Family, Career and Community Leaders of America's Advisor Recognition Program seeks to reward outstanding local advisors--those who make significant contributions to the organization. This recognition will attract attention from administrators and community members and call attention to the value of vocational family and consumer sciences programs.

The Advisor Recognition Program recognizes advisors at two levels.

- * **Master Advisor** recognizes outstanding advisors who operate co-curricular chapters with a balanced program of work.
- * **Advisor Mentor** recognizes advisors who have achieved the level of Master Advisor and have worked with beginning advisors to orient them to Family, Career and Community Leaders of America.

Any number of advisors may apply and be recognized. Advisors may apply themselves or be nominated.

ADVISOR MENTOR RECOGNITION

This program recognizes the skills of experienced advisors who help orient and train new advisors. It also recognizes advisors who have been successful in --

- achieving Master Advisor recognition;
- ✓ devoting two years to new advisor assistance;
- assuming adult leadership roles in Family, Career and Community Leaders of America;
- attending training workshops;

Criteria for Evaluation

New advisor assistance	45%
Leadership roles	35%
Professional development	10%
Recommendations	10%

Requirements

The candidate must have--

zattained Master Advisor recognition;

eassisted beginning advisors for a minimum of two years after receiving Master Advisor recognition.

Application Process

A typed application and at least three recommendations should be submitted to the state advisor by February 1. This application may be submitted by the candidate or as a nomination by another advisor, teacher educator, local family and consumer sciences supervisor, state advisor, professional colleague or FCCLA member. Nominees may need to be contacted to obtain complete information.

Review Process

A committee appointed by the state advisor will evaluate each application. The review team may include a variety of individuals such as state officers, local advisors, teacher educators, local family and consumer sciences supervisors, professional organization representatives or administrators. Applications and state summaries will be forwarded to national headquarters by April 1.

Recognition

Advisor Mentors will be recognized at the State Leadership Conference during the Advisors Session. All recipients selected on the state level will be recognized at the National Leadership Meeting. Recognition pins will be presented to recipients attending the meeting. Advisors unable to attend will receive their pins by mail following the meeting. Recognition items may be purchased from 4471 Nicole Drive, Lanham, Maryland, 20706, 800/507-7007 or www.fccla-store.com.

Submit by **February 1** to:

Family, Career and Community Leaders of America Family and Consumer Sciences Education Department of Elementary and Secondary Education P.O. Box 480 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0480

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ADVISOR MENTOR APPLICATION

Instructions

Type all information. Do not attach additional pages or materials except where noted. Responses to questions should be based on your work as an Advisor Mentor during a two-year period.

Return the following to your state advisor by February 1:

- 1. A completed copy of this Advisor Mentor Application.
- 2. One recommendation from each of the groups listed below is required. Photocopy the recommendation form provided, giving one copy to each individual.
- school administrator (principal, superintendent or vocational director)
- person of candidate's choice (teacher educator, city supervisor, another teacher, etc.)

CANDIDATE INFORMATION

Name of candidate			
School			
Home Address			
Number of years teaching	g Number of	years advising	
Courses taught:	Comprehensive	Occupational	
Number in chapter:			
Grade levels taught			
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List names of	advisors you have	helped develop	a chapter	(new or	reaffiliated)	since you	ı achieved	Master
Advisor status.	Describe both how	you helped them	become in	volved i	n state and n	ational pro	grams and	develop
advising skills.								

Year Advisor's Name <u>Chapter</u> How You Helped Them B. Leadership Roles (35%) Describe FCCLA leadership roles you have fulfilled and advisor training workshops you have conducted at the district, state and national levels. List your most rewarding accomplishments as an Advisor Mentor.

C. Professional Development (10%)
Describe FCCLA leadership roles you have fulfilled beyond your local chapter during your years as an advisor.
D. Advisor Mentor Recommendations (10%)
Please photocopy the attached Adviser Mentor Recommendation Form and secure one recommendation from each of the groups listed below. A total of 3 recommendations are required.
FCCLA Member
School Administrator (principal, superintendent or vocational director)
** Person of Candidates Choice (teacher educator, city supervisor, another teacher, etc.)

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ADVISOR MENTOR RECOMMENDATION

Applicant Instructions

∠ used current FCCLA resources.

Type your name in the blank below and then send this form to a minimum of three people who can evaluate your performance as an FCCLA advisor.

Evaluator Instructions
is applying for recognition as an Advisor Mentor. Your assistance in evaluating this applicant will be appreciated.
Please read the information below and use the attached form to rate the candidate in these areas. Return this form to the candidate no later than January 15 . Thank you for your recommendation.
An Advisor Mentor is one who has
devoted at least two years to assisting beginning or returning advisors;
encouraged teachers to establish chapters;
encouraged beginning advisors to participate in state and national activities;
∠ listened to beginning advisors' concerns;
assumed adult leadership roles in Family, Career and Community Leaders of America;
attended recent FCCLA meetings beyond the local level;

FCCLA Advisor Mentor Recommendation

Name of candidate _____

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